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Alameda County Congestion Management Agency Approves \$25 Million of State Funds for Transportation Improvements

The Alameda County Congestion Management Agency (ACCMA) adopted a draft program of six (6) projects for funding from the State Transportation Improvement Program worth \$24.4 million.

Included in the program is \$15 million of funding for the Oakland Airport Connector project. This project will provide a grade separated connection between the Oakland Coliseum BART station and the Oakland International Airport. The ACCMA Board action supplements the \$33 million in state transportation funds already committed to the \$250 million project. The Oakland Airport Connector project is being funded with a combination of funds including State, Measure B local sales tax, Port of Oakland funds, and bridge toll revenues. Additional private funding will be needed to augment the public funds to complete the project funding package. Frank Furger, ACCMA Deputy Director, noted

that “it is anticipated that the approval of these additional state funds will provide the impetus for the public private partnership that is needed to get this project off the ground.”

The ACCMA Board adopted program also included the following projects:

AC Transit	International/Telegraph Avenue Bus Improvements	\$1.0 million
Alameda County	Vasco Road Safety Improvements	\$2.5 million
LAVTA	Satellite Bus Operating Facility	\$1.5 million
Oakland	I-880 42 nd /High Street Improvements	\$0.9 million
Union City	Intermodal Facility at the Union City BART Station	\$3.5 million

The ACCMA is soliciting comments on this draft transportation improvement program that will be finalized at the November 17, 2005 ACCMA Board meeting.

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